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Dear Alameda Naval Air Station Federal Facilities Agreement Members:

Subj: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION ON DRAFT FINAL PROPOSED PLAN FOR
OPERABLE UNIT 1 (IR SITES 6, 7, 8, 16), FORMER NAS ALAMEDA,
ALAMEDA POINT, CALIFORNIA AND RESPONSE TO COMMENTS

On behalf of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and with reference to Section 10.7 of the Alameda Naval Air Station Federal Facility Agreement (FFA), the Navy is requesting an extension on the submittal date for the Operable Unit 1 (OU-1) Draft Final Proposed Plan (PP).

In EPA's transmittal letter of December 12, 2005, which accompanied EPA's comments on the OU-1 Draft PP, EPA requested that the Draft Final PP be submitted 30 days after the submittal of the Response to Comments (RTC). As described in the Navy's previous extension letter of January 18, 2006, Department of Toxic Substances Control required additional time to review the PP. In response, the Navy had extended the submittal date for several of the Draft Final PPs, including the OU1 Draft Final PP, to January 30, 2006. However, to accommodate EPA's request, the Navy proposes to submit RTCs on February 3, 2006 and submit the OU-1 Draft Final PP on March 6, 2006. In order to submit the PP on that date, the Navy requests that the parties to the FFA meet (or teleconference) to discuss the RTCs prior to February 17, 2006.

If you have any questions or comments, please call Mr. Steven Peck at (619) 532-0786 or me at (619) 532-0907.

Sincerely,

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